THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE GOPALA KRISHNA TAMADA

WRIT PETITION No.13878 of 1997

Dated : 03.08.2007

Between:

Surisetti Veeranna S/o Atchalu and others.

..... PETITIONERS

And:

Union of India, rep., by its Secretary,
Law Department, New Delhi and others.

.....RESPONDENTS

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ORDER:

This writ petition is filed seeking a Mandamus declaring the action of the respondents in including P.Rajavaram, Mulagalampalli villages of Jeelugumilli Mandal and Muppinivarigudem of Buttayagudem Mandal in West Godavari District in the scheduled areas as illegal and without jurisdiction and that the provisions of A.P. Scheduled Areas Land Transfer Regulation 1 of 1959 as amended by Regulation 1 of 1970 do not apply to the village or to the petitioners or to the lands possessed by them situated in the said villages.

Having heard the learned counsel for the petitioners as well the learned counsel for the respondents, this Court is of the view that this writ petition is premature. In fact, the point involved in this writ petition

was already decided by a Division Bench of this Court in W.P.No.7337 of 1992 and batch on 26.02.2007.

Accordingly, the writ petition is dismissed granting liberty to the petitioners to make representations to the Governor for redressal of their grievance, in which event the same be considered in terms of the observations made by the Division Bench in W.P.No.7337 of 1992 and batch. There shall be no order as to costs.

sh 03.08.2007